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Alberta Bank Bill Rejected In Committee

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the bill to the supreme court of Canada to obtain a ruling as to the validity of the bill.

ACTION NOT KNOWN

Hon. Lucien Maynard, municipal affairs minister of Alberta, told the committee it was desired to have the members pass on the subject matter of the bill before a reference to the supreme court was made, in case the court might deem the measure valid and the committee still find it did not meet their favor.

Following a decision of the committee to report the finding of the law officers against the validity of the bill, Mr. Maynard told The Canadian Press that he could only report to his government.

DOES NOT CHANGE VIEW

Mr. Varcoe was given for consideration a brief presentation by the committee by S. W. Gray, senior solicitor of the Alberta attorney-general's department, advising that the bill within the powers of parliament.

Mr. Varcoe said he could find nothing in Mr. Gray's brief to lead him to view the bill as beyond parliament's powers.

Mr. Gray had argued that the

Weather

Local Forecast

FAIR AND WARM

Highest temperature Thursday 60° to 64°

Lowest temperature Thursday 36° to 40°

Wind: Light to moderate, variable

Thunder: None

Temperature at 8:00 a.m. Friday 52°

Barometric pressure 30.04

Sum: June 1941 42.0; July 48.0; Aug. 54.0; Sept. 60.0; Oct. 66.0; Nov. 72.0; Dec. 78.0

Monthly temperature record since 1901

Jan. 20.0; Feb. 24.0; Mar. 30.0; Apr. 36.0; May 42.0; June 48.0; July 54.0; Aug. 60.0; Sept. 66.0; Oct. 72.0; Nov. 78.0; Dec. 84.0

PAR. NORTH WEATHER

Alaska 30.0; British Columbia 36.0; Ontario 42.0; Quebec 48.0; New Brunswick 54.0; Nova Scotia 60.0; Prince Edward Island 66.0; Newfound-land 72.0

Atlantic 78.0; Gulf of St. Lawrence 84.0; St. Lawrence 90.0; Saginaw 96.0; Detroit 102.0; Lake Michigan 108.0; Lake Huron 114.0; Lake Erie 120.0; Lake Ontario 126.0; Lake Superior 132.0

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Ottawa To Deal Directly With Tilley Farmers

From now on, all negotiations for the taking over of the 700,000 acres of land in the Tilley East area, to be used as a proving ground for artillery, explosives and mechanical equipment, will be carried on direct between the Dominion government and the landowners occupying territory within the prescribed area. Announcement of this was made Friday by Premier William Aberhart. The province will remain out of the picture.

Dominion officials are expected to visit the area immediately and proceedings to take over the land will be pressed forward as rapidly as possible.

In the total of 700,000 acres being taken over there are 600,000 acres of crown lands, some of which is occupied by leaseholders. The Dominion will deal directly with these.

Arrangements are being made between the Dominion and provincial governments to transfer the latter administration's crown property to the former on a long term lease.

About 100,000 acres of the tract comprise privately-owned ranch and farm lands. Direct action will be taken by the Dominion with owners of this land.

There are about 125 families living on the whole tract. At the last session of the legislature, an act was put through empowering Hon. W. A. Fallow, minister of public works to expropriate land to be used for war purposes. The agreement with the Dominion for this tract was then made and Mr. Fallow, with Hon. N. E. Fether, minister of lands and mines, visited the area to make settlements with the people and to arrange to move them at no cost to themselves. Some objections were raised and Mr. Fallow charged they were intimated by persons who had personal interests to serve.

Now, the landowners will deal directly with the Dominion, which has greater expropriation powers and has had experience in taking over such military tracts as Petawawa and others.

Mr. Col. Goodwin Gibson, in charge of the real estate branch of the national defence department, had no statement to make on the situation.

Hints Given On Ridding Trees Of Caterpillars

With the coming of warm dry weather, the annual bane of Edmonton gardeners and tree lovers have started to make their appearance. Caterpillars have been reported "hanging in clusters" from trees in various sections of the city.

T. F. Blagden, provincial director of forestry said Thursday that according to indications the pests will be numerous in the eastern and south-western sections of the city. He said that apart from treating the trees there is little that can be done to rid the city of the caterpillar menace.

Such a treatment is the emulsion made by dissolving one-half pound of laundry soap in a gallon of hot water. But this and while boiling add two gallons of coal oil. The mixture should be stirred until it is a thick creamy consistency. Green vegetation should not be treated the same way. Emulsion must be diluted with ten times its volume of water. Tree trunks can be treated with the mixture diluted twice its volume with water. It is also suggested that for paper be wrapped around the bottom of the tree trunk to prevent the insects from crawling up into the green part of the tree.

WINGS NORTH

Seven passengers arrived in Edmonton Wednesday and 10 were northbound Thursday in planes flying into the Mackenzie river district.

Arrived in the city with Pilot Al Brown on Wednesday were Mrs. Combes and daughter from Fort Smith, Mrs. Powers, Mrs. Haverstock, Mr. and Mrs. Doune and Mrs. Duncan from Fort McMurray.

North Sawle went north Thursday taking Mrs. Howlett and two children to Goldfield, K. Y. Spencer, Mackenzie River Transport, to Fort Smith, H. Charbonneau to Yellowknife and J. A. McPherson to Fort Simpson.

Brown, was north with four passengers for McMurray, Meany, Dunbar, Gordon, May and Gray.

Road As Defence Measure Is Urged

WASHINGTON, May 22.—(AP)—Immediate construction of a \$20,000,000 highway from the United States through Canada to Alaska appears impossibly 1,600 miles, as a precaution against invasion from Siberia was recommended to State Secretary Hull yesterday by the Alaska inter-national highway commission.

Robbed Of \$20,000

LEWELAND, Texas, May 22.—(AP)—The First National Bank of Leweland was robbed of \$20,000 Thursday by a two-gun man who locked 10 employees in the vault. He fired an employee to open a large safe.

Board Committee To Study Report

Report of investigation by city comptroller, A. A. Campbell, into alleged irregularities in the accounts of the Royal Alexandra Hospital was referred to a special committee of the hospital board for consideration. The committee was given power to act, and will hold its first meeting on Friday evening. Members of the committee are Harvey Harrison, Ald. Sidney Pat-

ton, John Downer, & A. Dickson, J.C., and Elsie Mac, Ald. George Campbell, chairman of the hospital board, is ex-officio, a member of all committees. The motion to refer the city comptroller's report to the special committee was made by Alfred Farnham and was seconded by Ald. Farnham. On the vote the Farnham motion was carried by a vote of eight to two. More than one billion copies of the Bible have been printed.

City Telephone Revenue Higher

Revenue from the city owned telephone system up to May 18, 1941, amounted to \$206,578.17 compared with \$202,252.19, an increase of \$4,326.00, according to a report submitted Friday to the city commissioners by Robert Christie, telephone system superintendent. During the period in 1940 there has been an increase of 839 telephone in use. At present there are

25,133 telephones, business and residential, in operation against 19,214 at the same time last year. There are 12,200 residential telephones in use in the city at present according to the report. **DOCKERS' CANTEENS** BIRKENHEAD, Eng. — (CP) — Canteens for dockers at Liverpool and Birkenhead provide accommodation for 900 men at once having three course meals at a shilling apiece.

Delinquency Case Decision Delayed

Charge of contributing to delinquency of a juvenile against Myla Hyington was set over one week for decision by Magistrate Miller in city police court Thursday afternoon. The charge arose after a 16-year-old city girl allegedly drank a quantity of pernaugauke of polish while in the company of a crowd. The crown alleged Hyington gave

liquor to the girl before she took the poison. The girl denied accused had given her liquor within weekly. A statement, allegedly made by accused to police was put in by the crown, in which it was admitted that accused had purchased a 13-oz. bottle of liquor and shared it with the juvenile. Magistrates, Chile, on the Strait of Magellan is the southern most city in the world.

Goes To Palestine

VICHY, May 22.—(AP)—It was reported here Thursday that the British consul at Beirut, Lebanon, has turned over his affairs to the United States consul and gone to Palestine. At the same time it was reported more than 100 British and United States citizens, including instructors and students at the American University at Beirut, crossed the frontier into Palestine. Texas has 400,000 farmers, more than any other state in the Union.



Why CANADA MUST BORROW \$600,000,000

A Statement by the Minister of Finance

In money alone, this war is costing Canada in round figures, \$4,000,000 a day. That is three and one-quarter times the daily cost of the last year of the last war. This conflict costs so much more because it is a battle of giant, swift machines . . . as well as of men. And to build other than the very best machines would be futile. They must be worthy of our men.

Canada dare not . . . and will not . . . sacrifice men for lack in quality or quantity of fighting machines. Hence we must produce them on a scale hitherto undreamed of.

To do this, Canada needs now to borrow from her citizens at least \$600,000,000 in addition to the revenue raised by taxes. To obtain this money Canada will on June 2nd offer Victory Bonds.

Fortunately, Canadians have the money to buy these Victory Bonds.

This is shown by a greatly expanded national income and by record savings deposits.

If every person who has savings or who can make payments out of wages or income will invest in Victory Bonds, the Loan will be quickly subscribed. But the wholehearted support of every citizen is necessary.

What Canadians have done before, Canadians can and will do again. Our population was less than nine millions in 1918 and 1919. Yet in November, 1918, our people invested \$616,000,000 in Victory Bonds. Eleven months later, in October 1919, they invested \$572,000,000. The total subscribed for Victory Bonds in those two loans was \$1,188,000,000. This year, with our population increased to more than twelve millions, the nation that did it before can do it again—and in greater measure.

The terms of the Loan will be announced May 31st. Get ready to buy every Bond that you can.

J. R. Mulvey
MINISTER OF FINANCE

Help finish the job!

Buy VICTORY BONDS

TODAY VARSCONA		SAT. MON. TUES.
Pat O'Brien and Jane Carraro in "FLOWING GOLD" Added "A CHILD IS BORN"	The Funnies Family Feature In Town	Guy Kibbee in "Scalligered Balcony" Also "Dance, Girl, Dance" Also News Reel
Dreamland Prices are still LOW PRICES. Bargain Hour 1-2 p.m. 20c. All seats included.		Second Feature Mystery - Adventure "DEAD MEN TELL" Today - "EAST OF THE RIVER" "DR. KILDARE GOES HOME"

Looking them Over

Now when time when a couple of generous, far-seeing sportsmen could do a tremendous amount of good for Edmonton boys and practically assure this city of interesting baseball for years to come.

Sponsors are now being sought for two teams in the City Junior Baseball League that is in the process of being organized. The amount of money needed is modest and the returns, both direct and indirect, promise to be mighty big. There are no headaches, loss of time or other contributions involved. Able managers and coaches are organizing the boys and will handle all details. All that they need is some cash to obtain equipment and from then on they will finance themselves.

The Junior League will be full-dress circuit playing in Renfrew Park—a top which will put them on a level with the same high and popular place that junior hockey enjoys here.

While it is true that war activities are of paramount importance and require strong financial support, it is equally true that the maintenance of morale here is also mighty important. Ottawa has repeatedly asked that every effort be made to carry on sports activities as far as possible.

Edmonton has one of western Canada's finest baseball plants in Renfrew Park, a spot which a large number of citizens look for out-door entertainment and relaxation in the summer months. The senior Central Alberta League will play 16 games in Renfrew owing to the loss being reduced to a three-team circuit. This leaves a lot of excellent dates open at the park for the juniors.

In order to insure that we have enough players to keep the summer game alive here in future years, the time has come when a junior league must be organized. If it had not been for the junior league that were formed here some years ago, Edmonton would be without baseball this summer. John Ducey took a major part in getting those boys organized and coached one of the amateur clubs himself. It is mighty gratifying to see him getting satisfaction again on the subject and rounding up another squad of youngsters.

If you have ever experienced the satisfaction of opening a time drive, feeling a real hard ball smack into your glove, or scooping up a hard-hit grounder on the run and snapping it in a base for a double play, or catching out a triple with your bare hands—then no summer will seem complete to you without baseball. There is no substitute for this game.

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Ponoka Prepares For Stampede

DOWN at Ponoka the boys are setting the stage for another time-honored stampede, July 1 and 2 are the dates. Last year the rodeo drew a paid attendance of 10,000—and Ponoka's population is around 1,500. This year the stampede should be improved and a number of innovations are planned.

In addition to a full program of bucking and western attractions, the stampede will offer an especially fine bill of army and air stunts in keeping with the times. Final details are now being completed.

This enterprising town believes in combining its sport and war effort. From its stampede profits last year, the Ponoka Sports Association bought a \$5,000 non-interest bearing war bond and made the Red Cross a gift of \$800.

Believe it or not, but the Ponoka stampede's fame has grown so that it actually draws spectators from Calgary, where visitors used to have the worst travel route. If you want to see a real boom town blowing the lid off in good old western style, take a trip to Ponoka on July 1 or 2. The boys down there are all firm believers in getting some fun out of life.

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Groundwork Started For Strong Junior Ball League

BULLETIN

Maple Leafs Beat Poderskys 10-5 In Men's Softball

Maple Leafs took a 10-5 decision from Poderskys' Furniture at Kingsway Park on Thursday night in a junior men's softball game, chiefly as the result of an eight-run avalanche in the sixth inning.

Leafs' outfielders checked for Poderskys' attack and gave only one run as against Jim Malone's five strike-outs and three errors.

There was a lot of heavy hitting with Joe Chermak leading the parade with a three-run homer. Jim Malone also drove in a pair of runs with a three-bagger in the sixth. Sam Shekter led in hits with three in four times at bat and Joe Shuster and Al Superstein, each had four for three and in each case the rest of the team.

GOOD FIELDING

Best fielding plays of the game were furnished by Al Superstein who made two great catches, one of which was up against the fence in the fourth inning. He drove out a hard one in the first inning. Mike Shekter drove out a hard one in the first inning. Nick Krick bunted safely, advancing to second on an error. Tracing three batters to a wild pitch and completing the circuit on Alex Harris' sacrifice fly. Poderskys came back with a pair in the fourth. Vic Corvieu went to right and reached on a single. Noot's punt, later scored on a wild pitch, got him home on another wild pitch.

Leafs led up the game in the fourth on Sam Shekter's sacrifice fly. Alex Harris and two more were left on base.

SCORE EIGHT RUNS

The big moment came for the Leafs in the sixth frame when they belted three runers for Poderskys in the final inning.

Nick Krick started off the inning with a home run and Alex Harris followed. Joe Chermak's homer sealed off the picture.

Hits by Vic Corvieu, Dick Noot, Al Superstein and Roy Chobechuk, along with an error and passed ball, settled three runers for Poderskys in the final inning.

Poderskys	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Chermak	3	0	0	0	0	0
Corvieu	3	0	0	0	0	0
Harris	3	0	0	0	0	0
Noot	3	0	0	0	0	0
Superstein	3	0	0	0	0	0
Shuster	3	0	0	0	0	0
Shekter	3	0	0	0	0	0
Malone	3	0	0	0	0	0
Carlie	3	0	0	0	0	0
Krick	3	0	0	0	0	0
Chobechuk	3	0	0	0	0	0
Poderskys	3	0	0	0	0	0

AB—Batters who appeared in the game.

R—Runs scored.

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Cuts Navy Waistlines



Gene Tunney, former world's heavyweight champion, is demonstrating his first invention, a device which will, if used daily, reduce the waistline of the wearer. Tunney has been called into active naval service with the rank of lieutenant-commander as a director of physical training.

The new machine-pulley system as demonstrated at the headquarters of the 3rd naval district in New York City.

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Christoforidis Drops N.B.A. Title Go To Gus Lesnevich

NEW YORK, May 23.—(AP)—Gus Lesnevich made the third time charm work magic Thursday night by out-pointing Anton Christoforidis in 15 tough rounds in Madison Square Garden to win the National Boxing Association's version of the world light heavyweight championship.

Lesnevich weighed 175; Christoforidis 166.

After failing to win a claim to the crown in two trips to the post with Billy Conn, Lesnevich, a native of the Bronx, New York, overpowered the clever, Greek boxer with heavy duty punches and, though failing to floor him, had him helpless in the 14th round.

The Associated Press says that Lesnevich's victory was a surprise, as he was a local favorite and had two wins. The decision was unanimous on the part of Referee Frankie Fullmer, Judge Marty Monroe and Joe Aronoff.

By the victory, the blond boxer not only took the N.B.A. title, but qualified to meet Jimmy Moe, a contender for the world light heavyweight title, in New York City.

Lesnevich, a native of the Bronx, New York, is recognized in New York, California, Pennsylvania and several other spots, and has promised to give it up when the title claimant is disgraced. He had his eye on Joe Louis' heavyweight title at the moment.

The crowd, was the smallest Garden turnout this season, so small in fact that promoter Mike Jacobs said didn't even bother to announce the fighters to newspapermen. The general estimate was that a very little gathering of 4,000 was on hand and contributed to a gross gain of about \$12,000.

CLAY BOXER
As for Christoforidis, a clever fast boxer who had been in the United States only a year, the defeat marked the end of his reign as the N.B.A.'s 175-pound hero. He won the crown by out-pointing Melio Bettina, a former champion, in Cleveland last winter, but the N.B.A. ordered him to meet Lesnevich before he could gain claim to it.

His victory this night was really an N.B.A. title in New York, but it was not recognized for the championship here.

BETTING UPSET
The fight provided another of those stunning upsets that have been the feature of the boxing scene here. The odds were even, but Lesnevich was the favorite and went into the fight as the chance at 1 to 4.

From the start it was "Gus" fighting. He had Anton hurt on five from the opening and the rest of his fight, otherwise more dramatic might have been done. At the time, Christoforidis had a chance and a cut under his left eye.

Unusual Accident
Bars Craig Wood
NEW YORK, May 23.—(AP)—Craig Wood, one of the advance favorites for the Goodall round golf tournament, which started Thursday, was preparing to shave this morning when he dropped his razor blade. At the very second he dropped it, he was struck and the razor blade cut his forehead.

A doctor said it would be a week or 10 days before Wood could venture into the Goodall round golf tournament, which was being held at the time.

Glass manufacturers are producing cases which will contain the razor blades, which will be sold at a profit.

Joe Louis Ready For Tonight's Bout With Buddy Baer

WASHINGTON, May 23.—(AP)—Joe Louis got a good, brisk run-down from his faithful old trainer, Jack Blackburn, Thursday afternoon and pronounced himself ready for the 17th defense of his heavyweight championship, against Buddy Baer tonight at Griffith Stadium.

Asked how long he expected to fight, he said he didn't know. He said he didn't want to get in too big a hurry in this kind of weather.

That was about as striking a pre-battle statement as anyone ever heard Joe make. If, as he said tonight, it was Thursday, then Buddy might be around for a good many of the advertised 15 rounds.

Baer, at his training camp, said he had absolutely no fear of Joe Louis, even if he was brother, Mayor. He said he wouldn't back down a step, but would go in and cut at the big negro and try to knock him out.

Those who heard Baer's statement said that every effort should be made to put junior boxer Baer in the ring with the big negro, as he was a big crowd puller.

It was decided that the age limit for players should be 21 years and that of the Alberta Amateur Baseball Association, so that no child could be promoted in championship playdowns. This limit is 20 years on May 1.

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Lawson Little Leads First Day

NEW YORK, May 23.—(AP)—What might have been a regular 1940 United States golf tournament was staged Thursday, and when it was over, Lawson Little was the champion.

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Three Clubs Declare Selves Prepared To Enter Circuit

GROUNDWORK for a strong Edmonton Junior Baseball League was laid last night at a preliminary organization meeting called to survey the situation and get the foundation down.

Presided over by Stan Mohr, president of last year's Juvenile Baseball League, the meeting established that three teams are definitely interested in entering a Junior League. The three teams are the Edmonton Athletic Club, the Edmonton Leaf Athletic Club and a new squad which is now completing its organization.

In all probability John Ducey will enter a fourth club in the circuit.

In order to permit time for all clubs to complete a preliminary survey, it was decided that every club would not be called for until next Tuesday night when another meeting will be held in the office of the Edmonton Sports Association.

Election of league officers will also be deferred until this next meeting. The meeting was held in the office of the Edmonton Sports Association.

The general survey of the junior situation disclosed that there are plenty of junior boys anxious to play, that a considerable amount of equipment is available and that good playing dates available at Renfrew Park the league has an excellent chance of becoming one of the most successful junior leagues ever organized in Edmonton.

The well attended meeting was greeted by a host of the loudest and longest, such demonstration heard in the Garden in a long time.

The fight was close all the way, with Bartolo having a shade the best on speed, and punching more frequently, while Wright landed the more powerful blows.

Paul Giovannielli, 134½, Brooklyn, won a close decision over Benny Simon, 135½, New York, in a six-round preliminary. In another six-round, Paul King, 162½, Brooklyn, stopped Vince Fraefello, 160½, Jersey City, N.J., with a cut right eye in 1:52 of the third round.

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Chalky Wright Awarded Decision Over Sal Bartolo

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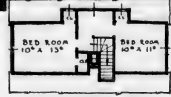
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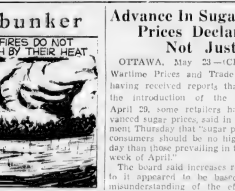
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TRAHL, B.C., May 23—(CP)—W.D. "Bill" Wardworth, a member of the Royal Air Force from Trail, has been awarded the Military Cross in recognition of gallantry and devotion to duty during a New Air raid, according to word received here.

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Hedges Make Adornments For Gardens

The first thing to consider when planning a flower garden is to define the boundaries of your property. If the property is of sufficient size, the white may be enclosed with a hedge. If, however, you should wish to increase the apparent size and there is a boundary in front, you should leave the front open, thereby getting the benefit of the boulevard.

Many gardeners, however, who have the same opinion and have knowledge of the various hedges, choose the white to enclose their property.

For larger hedges, generally grown to serve as a fence or a screen, hedges of yew, box, and willow may be used very successfully. Allowing the hedges to grow and then to be trained gives the advantage of the beautiful bloom of these shrubs.

The next thing to think of is the shape of the hedge. A hedge should be planted in a straight line, or in a curve, or in a series of curves. The shape of the hedge should be planned in advance, and the hedge should be planted in a straight line, or in a curve, or in a series of curves.

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The mountain ash, Sorbus, apple, or the native dog rose, all do well and are certainly attractive. If you have a large garden, you can easily have shade, then consider how you can bring in the Weeping Birch or Spruce. The first choice in shape should be of a shape that will stand out as a shape.

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F.D.R. Confident American Vessels To Carry Supplies

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23—(AP)—President Roosevelt, presiding today at a "house and garden" conference, said today that the United States Navy will carry through the Atlantic the supplies of the United States Navy.

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Ottawa Imposes Soft Drink Tax Of 25 Per Cent.
OTTAWA, May 23—(CP)—Imposition of a 25 per cent tax on the manufacture of soft drinks at the manufacturer's sale price of soft drinks, whether carbonated or otherwise, was proposed by the House of Commons Thursday night by Minister Minister Biley.

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Question Marks—U.S. Will Get Transports Like These—Forging Rainbow Link Between U.S. And Canada

Helped Hess?



Rumors persist that Willy Messerschmitt, above, famed German plane manufacturer, may have helped his friend Rudolf Hess in flight to Scotland.

Nabbed By Nazis?



Friends of the French scientist and Nobel prize winner, Dr. Alexis Carrel, above, fear he is detained by Nazis in occupied France after his failure to arrive in New York on schedule.

Croat King?



Italian King Emmanuel reportedly has selected the Duke of Spoltto, above, as ruler of the newly proclaimed kingdom of Croatia, carved from Yugoslavia.

Hitler's Dupe?



French High Commissioner Gen. Henri Dentz, above, admits German planes are crossing Syria and at same time assails British for bombing air bases in the French-mandated country.



The U. S. army is reported to have placed a large order for aerial transports like this graceful giant, shown in flight. It's the new 36-passenger Curtiss-Wright Model 20 transport plane—world's largest twin-engine airliner—and it recently proved itself in a four-hour-15-minute non-stop flight from St. Louis to LaGuardia Field, N. Y., cruising at 60 per cent. power. The 40,000-pound plane has a wing-spread of 108 feet.

All Set For Big Leap

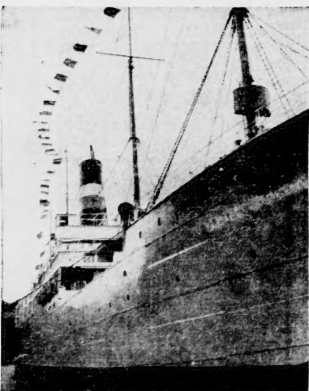


This is how parachute troops ready to jump would look to you if you were winging along underneath a transport plane. Four British chutists are just practicing in a dummy fuselage at a training station.

Fashion Model



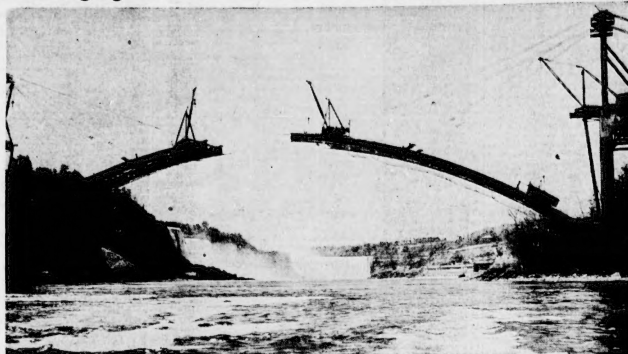
Clark M. Eichlberger, above, is acting chairman of the Committee to Defend America by aiding the Allies during absence of Chairman Ernest W. Gibson, Jr., who'll serve as cavalry captain in U.S. Army.



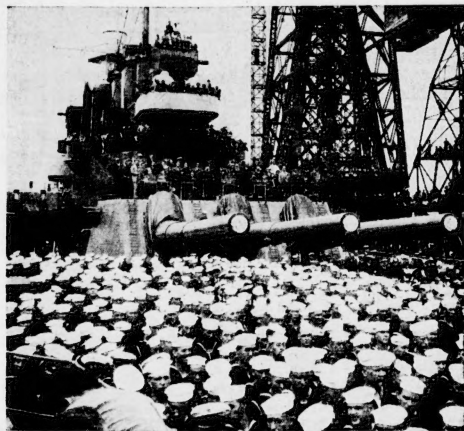
A passenger liner of 8,259 tons, the Egyptian liner Zamzam is reported to have been sunk somewhere between Pernambuco and Cape Town, en route to Alexandria. Fifteen Canadians and 120 Americans were aboard the liner, and it is feared they have perished along with 185 other passengers and members of the Zamzam crew.



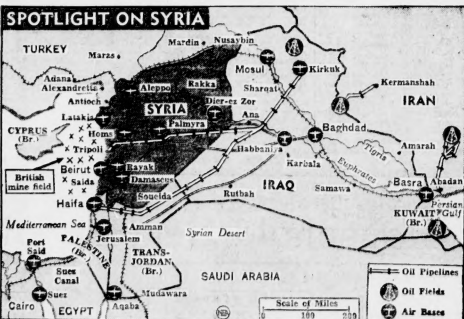
Foreign Minister Yonuku Matsuoka of Japan is being toasted by his cabinet colleagues immediately following his arrival at Tokyo from a 42-day tour of Europe's capitals. Highlight of the foreign minister's accomplishments was his speed negotiation of a peace and friendship pact with the Soviet Union. Left to right, Ministers Kiyoshi Akita of overseas affairs; finance, Isao Kawada; of home affairs, Baron Hiranuma; prime minister, Prince Fumimaro Konoye; ministers of war, Lieut.-Gen. Tojo; of welfare, Tadamasa Ishiguro; of education, Dr. Kunikida Hashida, and of railways, Sotaro Ogawa.



A view of the Rainbow bridge at Niagara Falls which is now nearing completion. Workers are fast closing the gap between the American and Canadian sections, and the 600-foot arch that rises 30 feet above the river will be completed in June. When the last section of the arch is in place, supporting cables will be removed. Towers at each end of the bridge will also be eliminated when the arch is completed.

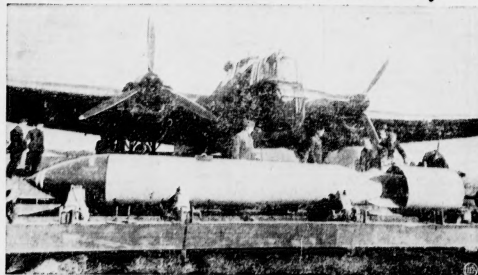


In an impressive ceremony at the Philadelphia Navy Yard, the 35,000-ton super-dreadnaught U.S.S. Washington joins the American fleet. Here is a view of the dreadnaught's after deck, showing the crew lined up under the triple 16-inch guns of the aft turret, as the giant battleship is placed in commission.



Syria takes the war spotlight as Axis planes use the ancient country's airfields as stepping stones to Iran, and British counter with bombing raids on Syrian bases and skirmishes on the Palestine frontier. Map shows airfields, railroads and highways in area where British-German fight for oil is beginning.

Bundle from Britain—for Germany



They don't come much bigger than this. The huge bundle of trouble for Germany seen in foreground is one of Great Britain's new super-bombs, with which R.A.F. planes have recently been wreaking havoc over Germany. It lies at a bomber station somewhere in England, ready for loading on a Whitley heavy bomber, background. Pilots who have dropped bombs like this report "astounding" and "most amazing" results. Weighing 2,000 pounds, the bombs have an explosive force five times that of the old-type bombs having a similar calibre.

